

ON THE PROPOSED USE OF THE PLENARY POWERS TO VALIDATE THE ENTRY ON THE " OFFICIAL LIST OF GENERIC NAMES IN ZOOLOGY " OF " FAVUS " LANCHESTER, 1900 (CLASS CRUSTACEA, ORDER DECAPODA)

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(Commission's reference Z.N.(S.)557)

(Extract from a letter dated 6th June 1951)

Your proposal to validate the generic name *Favus* Lanchester, 1900, by suppressing the name *Favus* Schafheutel, 1850, seems to me to be the best solution in the present case.

SUPPORT FOR THE PROPOSED USE OF THE PLENARY POWERS TO VALIDATE THE ENTRY ON THE " OFFICIAL LIST OF GENERIC NAMES IN ZOOLOGY " OF THE NAME " FAVUS " LANCHESTER, 1900 (CLASS CRUSTACEA, ORDER DECAPODA)

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(Commission's reference Z.N.(S.)557)

(Letter dated 20th September 1952)

I have your letter of 13th September regarding the name *Favus* under reference Z.N.(S.)557.

I entirely support your proposal to establish the Leucosiid genus *Favus* Lanchester as a valid genus.

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(Commission's reference Z.N.(S.)557)

(Letter dated 25th September 1952)

I support the action proposed in the case of the name *Favus* Lanchester, 1900. It seems the sensible thing to do, since the fossil genus *Favus* Schafheutel, 1850, is not in current use in palaeontology.

SUPPORT FOR THE PROPOSED VALIDATION OF THE GENERIC NAME " FAVUS " LANCHESTER, 1900 (CLASS CRUSTACEA, ORDER DECAPODA) UNDER THE PLENARY POWERS

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(Commission's reference Z.N.(S.)557)

(Letter dated 9th October 1952)

In Erwiderung Ihrer freundlichen Zeilen, die hierher nachgesandt wurden; meine Meinung deckt sich ganz mit der Ihrigen und ich stimme dafür, dass 1. der Name *Favus* Lanchester auf der offiziellen Liste der generischen Namen bestehen bleibt, und dass 2. der Name *Favus* Schafheutel, 1850, auf den offiziellen Index der rejected and invalid generischen Namen gesetzt wird.